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Docket No. SA9-98-116

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Lewis et al. )  
Serial No.: 09/280,796 )  
Filed: March 26, 1999 ) Group Art  
For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DYNAMIC** ) Unit: 2186  
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 10, 2002, applicants respectfully requests that the following amendments be entered and that the present application be reconsidered in view of the following remarks and amendments.